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Applicant: Michael Laposata  
Serial No: 09/758,099  
Filed: January 10, 2001  
For: METHODS FOR MONITORING ALCOHOL CONSUMPTION  
Examiner: Not Yet Assigned  
Art Unit: 3736

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Transmitted herewith is/are the following document(s):

- ☒ Response to Notice to File Missing Parts
- ☒ Preliminary Amendment
- ☒ Informal Drawings
- ☒ Notice to File Missing Parts
- ☒ Executed Declaration and Power of Attorney
- ☒ Verified Statement to Establish Small Entity Status
- ☒ Fee Calculation Sheet
- ☒ Initial Information Data Sheet
- ☒ Return Receipt Postcard

If the enclosed papers are considered incomplete, the Mail Room and/or the Application Branch is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned at (617) 720-3500, Boston, Massachusetts.

A check in the amount of \$780.00 is enclosed to cover the filing fee. If the fee is insufficient, the balance may be charged to the account of the undersigned, Deposit Account No. 23/2825. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully Submitted,

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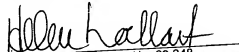
### Fee Calculation Sheet

CLAIMS	FOR	NUMBER FILED	NUMBER EXTRA	RATE	FEE
	TOTAL CLAIMS (37 CFR 1.16(c))	20-20=	0x	\$ 18	= \$ 0.00
	INDEPENDENT CLAIMS (37 CFR 1.16(b))	12-3=	9 x	\$ 80	= \$ 720.00
	MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS (if applicable) (37 CFR 1.16(d)) +				\$ = \$
	BASIC FEE (37 CFR 1.16(a))				\$ 710.00
Fee for Petition for Extension of Time (if any)					\$
Total of above Calculations =				\$	1,430.00
Reduction by 50% for filing by small entity (Note 37 CFR 1.9, 1.27, 1.28).				\$	715.00
Assignment Recordation Fee (if any)				\$	
Other Fees (if any).				\$	65.00
TOTAL =				\$	780.00

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#### General Authorization to Charge Deposit Account and General Request for Extension of Time

2. a. ☒ If the filing of any paper in this application necessitates the payment of a fee under 37 CFR §§ 1.16, 1.17 or 1.18, and the fee due is in an amount different from any enclosed check or if no check is enclosed, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23/2825.
- b. ☐ The applicant hereby revokes any prior authorization to charge a fee due under 37 CFR §§ 1.16, 1.17 or 1.18.
3. If the filing of any paper in this application necessitates an extension of time under 37 CFR § 1.136(a), the applicant hereby requests such extension of time. If the fee due is in an amount different from any enclosed check or if no check is enclosed, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23/2825.

  
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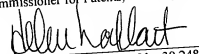


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**RESPONSE TO THE NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS**

This is in response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of application mailed from the United States Patent and Trademark Office on February 26, 2001.

Attached is the Declaration and Power of Attorney executed by Michael Laposata as well as an executed Small Entity Statement and a Preliminary Amendment.

Also attached is a check in the amount of \$780.00 to cover the cost of the small entity filing fee and surcharge for filing a late Declaration and Power of Attorney.

Accordingly, Applicant believes that this document is responsive to the Notice to File Missing Parts.



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If any other information is needed, please contact the undersigned attorney by phone (617-720-3500, Ext. 232) to expedite the further prosecution of this patent application.

Respectfully submitted,

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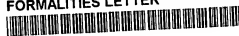
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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.  
*Applicant must submit \$ 710 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).*
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$2448.
 

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  - \$1458 for 81 total claims over 20.
  - \$720 for 9 independent claims over 3.
  - \$270 for multiple dependent claim surcharge.
- The oath or declaration is missing.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 3288.

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to correct the informalities indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
  - drawing sheets do not have the appropriate margin(s) (see 37 CFR 1.84(g)). Each sheet must include a top margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a left side margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a right side margin of at least 1.5 cm. (5/8 inch), and a

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
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bottom margin of at least 1.0 cm. (3/8 inch);



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